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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR US SPONSORED TRAINING
FOR AL-ZERKANI AND AL-TAMEEMI

REF: BAGHDAD 3959

1. (U) The Department has reviewed its files and finds that it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights at this time by the members of the Iraqi Security Forces listed below. Department strongly suggests that visa applications for these individuals be filed with as much time as possible to allow for additional processing procedures that may be required. Note that if, at any time, the Embassy becomes aware of any information regarding incidents which could be deemed to be credible information of a gross violation of human rights by these individuals, the Embassy should so inform the Department.

2. (SBU) The name of the proposed candidates (ref a) are as follows:

NAME: Jaleel Jabbar Abdulhasan AL-ZERKANI
POSITION: Major General, Iraqi Army, CTB
DOB: July 03, 1961
TYPE OF TRAINING: Senior Executive Seminar
TRAINING LOCATION: NESA Washington, DC
DATES OF TRAINING: February 22, 2009 - March 06, 2009

NAME: Kareem Abbood Mohammed AL-TAMEEMI
POSITION: Staff BG, Iraqi Army, Counter Terrorism Command
DOB: September 03, 1963
TYPE OF TRAINING: Senior Executive Seminar
TRAINING LOCATION: NESA Washington, DC
DATES OF TRAINING: February 22, 2009 - March 06, 2009
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